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SUBJECT: REVISION OF PHILIPPINE PATENT LAW

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1. ECON/COM COUNSELOR DELIVERED DIPLOMATIC NOTE CONTAINING SYNOPSIS OF COMMENTS ON REVISION OF PHILIPPINE PATENT LAW CONTAINED REFTELS TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS PABLO SUAREZ AT DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS APRIL 24, 1978. COUNSELOR NOTED THAT COMPULSORY LICENSING AND 5 PERCENT CEILING ON ROYALTY PAYMENTS WERE PRIMARY CONCERNS OF USG. AMBASSADOR SUAREZ PROMISED TO RELAY U.S. VIEWS TO INTER-AGENCY WORKING COMMITTEE CURRENTLY DRAFTING IMPLEMENTING RULES FOR P.D. 1263.

2. THE GERMAN EMBASSY, REPRESENTING ITS EEC COLLEAGUES, ALSO DELIVERED A FOLLOW-UP NOTE TO DFA THE SAME DAY REMINDING THE DFA OF ITS JANUARY REQUEST FOR DISCUSSIONS ON THE NEW PATENT LAW. UNFORTUNATELY, NONE OF THE EEC EMBASSIES HAVE INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE CAPITALS IN THE EVENT GOP DOES CALL A MEETING. JAPANESE EMBASSY IS STANDING MUTE FOR THIS ROUND AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS FROM TOKYO.

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3. THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DELIVERED ITS POSITION PAPER ON P.D. 1263 TO SECRETARY OF INDUSTRY PATERNO APRIL 24 AS WELL.

4. EMBASSY HAS GIVEN COPIES OF U.S. PATENT OFFICE ANALYSIS OF P.D. 1263 AND AMCHAM POSITION PAPER TO OTHER EMBASSIES FOR THEIR BACKGROUND IN EVENT DIS-

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CUSSIONS ARE CALLED.

5. EMBASSY POUCHING COPY OF DIPLOMATIC NOTE AND AMCHAM POSITION PAPER TO EA/PHIL AND EB/IFD/BP.
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